

GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA

ABSTRACT

FOREST DEPARTMENT – B.E. 2015-16 – Administrative sanction to Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, for an amount of Rs. 28,86,00,000/- (Rupees Twenty Eight crores Eighty Six lakhs only) towards purchase of vehicles for the Officers and Field staff of Forest department, in relaxation of Quarterly Regulation orders – Accorded – Orders – Issued.

ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (FOR.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.101

Dated: 18-05-2015

Read the following:-

- (1) From the Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests, Telangana, Hyderabad, Rc.No.1172/2015/ Scheme-III, Dt: 31.01.2015, 13-02-2015, 13.04.2015 & 20.04.2015.
- (2) G.O.Rt. No. 1963, Finance (EBS.VIII) Dept., dt. 16.05.2015.

ORDER:

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Telangana, Hyderabad in the letter 1st read above, among other things has submitted that Government of Telangana has attached lot of importance to the protection of existing forest and initiated massive plantation programme *Haritha Haaram* to improve the green cover in the State. He has also submitted that the Forest Officers have to move long distances for protection of the forest areas, monitoring Beedi leaf and *Haritha Haaram* works. In fact most of the works of the Department are confined to interior areas and require vehicles to move from one place to another for proper inspections and monitoring of works. The hired vehicles many a times cannot move in interior forest areas and owners are also reluctant to provide vehicles for such terrains.

2. He has further added that Hon'ble Chief Minister, during an interactive session has instructed to provide motor cycles to the lower field staff and vehicles to other staff of Forest Department for effective perambulation of the existing forest inorder to prevent smuggling and encroachments and also to monitor various programmes of Government.

3. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Telangana State, Hyderabad has, therefore, requested the Government to sanction budget for purchase of vehicles for the officers and field staff of the Forest department, in relaxation of ban orders on purchase of vehicles as detailed below:-

(Rs. in Lakhs)

Sl. No.	Category of vehicles	No. of vehicles proposed	Average Unit Cost	Amount required
1	Fortuner / Corolla for Senior most Officers	6	26.00	156.00
2	Vehicles for senior officers in Head Office and field (Hondacity/Innova & equivalent vehicles	20	16.00	320.00
3	Scorpio (for DFOs)	24	10.00	240.00
4	Mahendra Thar Jeeps (for FROs / Strike force etc)	100	7.00	700.00
5	Motor Cycles (for FBOs/FSOs/ Dy.ROs)	2100	0.70	1470.00
			Total	2886.00

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4. After careful examination of the matter and also in pursuance of the BRO issued in G.O. 2nd read above, Government hereby accord administrative sanction to the Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests, Telangana, Hyderabad for an amount of Rs. 28,86,00,000/- (Rupees Twenty Eight crores Eighty Six lakhs only) under Head of Account 2406-01-102-11-13-270-271 – Afforestation Fund under Plan from B.E. 2015-16 towards purchase of vehicles for the officers and field staff of Forest department, in relaxation of Quarterly Regulation orders and ban orders on purchase of vehicles.

5. The Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests, Telangana State, Hyderabad shall procure the vehicles duly following rules in vogue and take further necessary action, accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

RAJESHWAR TIWARI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF),
Telangana, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

- (1) The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Telangana State, Hyderabad.
 - (2) The Pay and Accounts Officer, Telangana State, Hyderabad
 - (3) The Accountant General, Telangana State, Hyderabad
 - (4) Finance (EBS.VIII) Dept.
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//FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER